



ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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TRAFFIC ADVISORY

ALDOT Announces Edmund Pettus Bridge Closing, in Selma

SELMA – The Alabama Department of Transportation today announced that the historic Edmund Pettus Bridge on U.S. Highway 80 in Selma will be closed during the hours of 5 a.m. to 9 p.m., Monday, June 23 through Thursday, June 26 to allow filming of the movie Selma.

Through traffic should use the U.S. Highway 80 Truck Route (Selma Bypass). The Alabama Department of Public Safety and local law enforcement will assist with traffic control.

Motorists are requested to consider using alternate routes, adjust arrival/departure times, observe posted speed limits, and drive with extreme caution in this area. ALDOT thanks motorists for their patience during this historic event.

ALDOT's mission is to provide a safe, efficient, environmentally and economically sound transportation network across Alabama. For additional road closure information, visit www.dot.state.al.us.

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